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- The applicant is hereby informed that the International Bureau has, according to Article 31(7), notified each of the following Offices of its election:
National: CN, KR, US
- The following Offices have waived the requirement for the notification of their election; the notification will be sent to them by the International Bureau only upon their request:
None
- The applicant is reminded that he must enter the "national phase" **before the expiration of 30 months from the priority date before each of the Offices listed above.** This must be done by paying the national fees and furnishing, if prescribed, a translation of the international application (Article 39(1) (a)), as well as, where applicable, by furnishing a translation of any annexes of the international preliminary examination report (Article 36(3) (b) and Rule 74.1).

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